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For: *Working Machine With Reduced Upper Mass Vibrations***SUBMISSION OF COURTESY COPY OF RESPONSE**

Director of the U.S. Patent
and Trademark Office
Washington, DC 20231

Attention: Examiner Raymond Addie
Group 3600 - Art Unit 3673

Dear Sir:

Enclosed pursuant to applicant's earlier voicemail, is a courtesy copy of the response filed by first class mail on August 24, 2001. The response is enclosed, along with a copy of a date stamped postcard acknowledging receipt of said response by the U.S. Patent and Trademark Office on August 27, 2001. Absent receipt of the originally filed response, applicant requests entry and consideration of the attached courtesy copy of the response.

Respectfully submitted,


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**TRANSMITTAL LETTER FOR
SUBMISSION OF COURTESY COPY OF RESPONSE**

Director of the U.S. Patent
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Washington, D.C. 20231

Dear Sir:

Enclosed for the Examiner's review is a courtesy copy of an amendment submitted in response to the Office Action mailed August 24, 2001. The total length of this transmission, including this transmittal letter, is 17 pages. Should this transmission be incomplete or any pages thereof unintelligible, the Examiner is requested to contact the undersigned at the telephone number appearing below.

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LETTER TO THE OFFICIAL DRAFTSPERSON
REGARDING SUBSTITUTE DRAWINGS


Director of the U.S. Patent
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Washington, DC 20231

Dear Sir:

Enclosed is a courtesy copy of the drawings from the International Application as forwarded to the U.S. Elected Office on April 4, 2000. Enclosed as proof of this submission is a form PCT/IB/338, dated April 4, 2000 and referencing the transmission of two sheets of drawings and a form PCT/DO/EO/903, dated January 8, 2001 and acknowledging receipt of the International Application by the U.S. Elected Office.

Draftsperson consideration and approval of these previously-submitted drawings are respectfully requested.

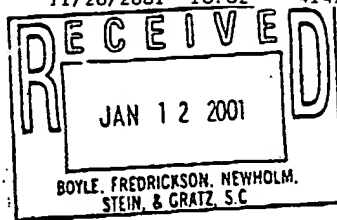
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NOTIFICATION OF ACCEPTANCE OF APPLICATION UNDER 35 U.S.C. 371
AND 37 CFR 1.494 OR 1.495

1. The applicant is hereby advised that the United States Patent and Trademark Office in its capacity as ☐ a Designated Office (37 CFR 1.494), ☒ an Elected Office (37 CFR 1.495), has determined that the above identified international application has met the requirements of 35 U.S.C. 371, and is **ACCEPTED** for national patentability examination in the United States Patent and Trademark Office.

2. The United States Application Number assigned to the application is shown above and the relevant dates are:

09 MAR 2000	09 MAR 2000
35 U.S.C. 102(e) DATE	DATE OF RECEIPT OF 35 U.S.C. 371 REQUIREMENTS

A Filing Receipt (PTO-103X) will be issued for the present application in due course. **THE DATE APPEARING ON THE FILING RECEIPT AS THE "FILING DATE" IS THE DATE ON WHICH THE LAST OF THE 35 U.S.C. 371(C) REQUIREMENTS HAS BEEN RECEIVED IN THE OFFICE. THIS DATE IS SHOWN ABOVE.** The filing date of the above identified application is the international filing date of the international application (Article 11(3) and 35 U.S.C. 363). Once the Filing Receipt has been received, send all correspondence to the Group Art Unit designated thereon.

3. ☒ A request for immediate examination under 35 U.S.C. 371(f) was received on 09 MAR 2000 and the application will be examined in turn.

4. The following items have been received:

- ☒ U.S. Basic National Fee.
- ☒ Copy of the international application in:
 - ☒ a non-English language.
 - ☐ English.
- ☒ Translation of the international application into English.
- ☒ Oath or Declaration of inventor(s) for DO/EO/US.
- ☐ Copy of Article 19 amendments. ☐ Translation of Article 19 amendments into English.

The Article 19 amendments ☐ have ☐ have not been entered.
- ☒ The International Preliminary Examination Report in English and its Annexes, if any.
- ☒ Copy of the Annexes to the International Preliminary Examination Report (IPER).
 - ☒ Translation of Annexes to the IPER into English.

The Annexes ☒ have ☐ have not been entered.
- ☒ Preliminary amendment(s) filed 09 MAR 2000 and 02 JUN 2000
- ☒ Information Disclosure Statement(s) filed 09 MAR 2000 and 02 JUN 2000
- ☐ Assignment document.
- ☒ Power of Attorney and/or Change of Address.
- ☐ Substitute specification filed _____
- ☐ Verified Statement Claiming Small Entity Status.
- ☐ Priority Document.
- ☒ Copy of the International Search Report ☐ and copies of the references cited therein.
- ☐ Other:

Applicant is reminded that any communication to the United States Patent and Trademark Office must be mailed to the address given in the heading and include the U.S. application no. shown above. (37 CFR 1.5)

Paulette Kidwell, Paralegal